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## **Mailstop: Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## REPLY AND AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 27, 2006 (hereinafter "the 3/27/2006 Office Action") please consider the following:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the Listing of the Claims beginning on page **2** of this paper.

Remarks begin on page <u>14</u> of this paper.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned for under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 033975 (*Ref. No. 042846-0313083*).